

**In FY 2005,
21 programs and activities reported
\$5.6 billion in improper payments.**

**This represents more than \$800 billion
in outlays that are NOT required* to report
improper payments under current law.**

***However, OMB has required that 13 of these 21 programs
estimate improper payments regardless of dollar amount or error rate because they
had previous reporting requirements under OMB Circular No. A-11.**